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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA LAKE CHARLES DIVISION

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ROGER THOMPSON,	* CIVIL ACTION NO. 2:13-cv-2841 *
Petitioner,	*
	*
v.	*
	* JUDGE MINALDI
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	*
	*
Defendant.	* MAGISTRATE JUDGE KAY *********************

JUDGMENT

Before the court is the Report and Recommendation [Doc. 5] of the Magistrate Judge previously filed herein, to which the petitioner has filed an Objection [Doc. 6]. The court notes that at the time the petitioner filed his petition for *writ of habeas corpus* [Doc. 1] that the issue of whether *Alleyne v. United States* was retroactive had been decided by the Fifth Circuit, and thus, that issue was foreclosed by circuit law. *In re Kemper*, 735 F.3d 211 (5th Cir. 2013).

Therefore, for the reasons stated in the Report and Recommendation [Doc. 5] of the Magistrate Judge previously filed herein, after an independent review of the record, a *de novo* determination of the issues, and having determined that the findings are correct under applicable law,

IT IS ORDERED the petitioner's petition for writ of habeas corpus [Doc. 1], as amended by his petition for writ of habeas corpus [Doc. 4], be and hereby is DISMISSED, WITH PREJUDICE.

Lake Charles, Louisiana, this <u>4</u> day of

, 2014.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE